

## LI Field Descriptions

### LINE INTERCEPT (LI) FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

Field 1: **Number of Transects.** Total number of transects on the plot.

Field 2: **Transect Number.** Sequential number of the sample transect.

Field 3: **Item Code.** Code of sampled entity. Either the NRCS plants species code or the local code for that species. Or, ground cover code. Precision: No error.

Field 4: **Status:** Plant status - Live, Dead or Not Applicable. (L, D, NA). Precision: No error.

Field 5: **Size Class.** Size of the sampled plant. Valid classes are in tables LI-1 and LI-2 of the sampling method. Precision:  $\pm 1$  class

Field 6: **Transect Length.** Length of transect. May be different for different species/life forms. (ft/m)

**Start.** Enter the starting point of each intercept for the plant species or life-form along the transect. (ft/m). Precision:  $\pm 0.1$  ft/0.03 m

**Stop.** Enter the stopping point of each intercept for the plant species or life-form along the transect. (ft/m). Precision:  $\pm 0.1$  ft/0.03 m

**Height.** Enter the average height for each plant species or life-form at one or more intercepts along the transect. Precision:  $\pm 10$  percent of average height